

BRING THIS REPORT TO TOWN MEETING

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Town Officers

OF THE

Town of Strafford,  
Vermont

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING

February 1, 1927

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## ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

The legal voters of the town of Strafford are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town House on Tuesday March 1, A. D., 1927, at 10 o'clock a. m., to transact the following business, namely:

Art. 1. To elect a Moderator.

Art. 2. To elect a Town Clerk.

Art. 3. To hear and act upon the report of the Auditors.

Art. 4. To vote upon the question "Shall the Selectmen be empowered to appoint one or two Road Commissioners, or shall one or two Road Commissioners be elected by ballot?"

Art. 5. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

Art. 6. To see how much money the town will raise to support the poor, defray ordinary expenses and bridge and highway expenses, under the direction of the Selectmen.

Art. 7. To see how much money the town will raise for the support of schools.

Art. 8. To see how much money the town will raise for the maintenance of highways.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will raise for permanent highways to take advantage of the state aid law as per Sec. 4,591 of the general laws of Vermont and amendment.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to raise money to pay the state and county taxes.

Art. 11. To see if the town will accept the provisions of the general laws relating to the collecting of taxes by its Treasurer, together with the time of payment of the same

Art. 12. To transact any other legal business.

HOMER H. KENDALL,

ARTHUR L. JUDD,

ARTHUR J. COLBY,

Selectmen of Strafford.

Strafford, Vt.

February 14, 1927.

**TOWN OFFICERS**

**Moderator**

Fred T. Avery

**Town Clerk**

Elizabeth M. F. Chandler

**Treasurer**

George F. Chandler

**Selectmen**

Frank Brown—Resigned

Homer H. Kendall

Arthur L. Judd

Arthur J. Colby

**Road Commissioner**

Howard Varney

**Permanent Highway Commissioner**

Frank Brown

**Overseer**

Luman A. Judd

**Town Agent**

Fred T. Avery

**Town Grand Juror**

B. Frank Quimby

**Constable**

Elmer C. Gomo

**Listers**

Irving O. Pixley

J. Guy Huntley

George Brown

**School Directors**

J. Guy Huntley

John L. Barrett

Arthur Gover

**Auditors**

Bessie S. Norris

Gertrude Colby

Gladys Pixley

1.20 - a. G  
1.55 - Schools  
65 - H. Tax  
R.H. Judd

to deed real estate  
B.F. Jordan 60000

Fred T. Avery

Kendall Jordan 70



## SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT

### Outstanding Orders Paid

1925	No.		
Dec. 14	416	H. B. Ward, hauling gravel.....\$	12.00
1926			
Jan. 25	417	Glen Titus, work on cement bridge	1.42
Orders Drawn—1926			
Feb. 13		A. L. Sargent, money loaned the town at 5% .....	2,000.00
Feb. 17		Helen D. Moore, salary 3 mos. Librarian	25.00
Feb. 24		Frank Brown, money loaned the town at 5% .....	3,500.00
Feb. 24		H. R. Huntting Co., books for Library	25.09
Feb. 11		H. N. Mattison, county tax.....	78.53
Feb. 25		James J. Lamb & Co., 300 copies Town reports and post.....	64.73
May 25		Helen D. Moore, salary 3 mos. Librarian	25.00
June 7		The Tuttle Co., 16 Officers Orders Books	12.00
July 1		A. L. Sargent, money loaned the town at 5% .....	500.00
Aug. 10		A. L. Sargent, money loaned the town at 5% .....	800.00
Aug. 30		Capital Savings Bank and Trust Co., money loaned the town at 5% .....	2,000.00
Sept. 18		Helen D. Moore, salary as Librarian 3 mos. ....	25.00
Oct. 1		Capital Savings Bank and Trust Co. money loaned the town at 5%.....	2,000.00
Oct. 1		I. O. Pixley, Presiding Officer, expense of Primary Election.....	24.85
Oct. 1		State Treasurer, State Highway tax.....	196.32
Oct. 1		State Treasurer, State School tax.....	392.64
Nov. 4		I. O. Pixley, Presiding Officer, expense of General Election.....	30.86
Nov. 9		Helen D. Moore, salary as Librarian 3 mos. ....	25.00
Nov. 17		H. A. Thurber, printing tax notices and receipt books .....	9.50
Nov. 17		Geo. F. Chandler, Treas., work on tax notices .....	10.00
Nov. 20		Marjorie R. Brown, list of magazines of	

		Library .....	14.75
Nov. 29		Capital Savings Bank and Trust Co. money loaned the town at 5%.....	500.00
Dec. 9		Capital Savings Bank and Trust Co., money loaned the town at 5%.....	500.00
Dec. 29		J. C. Carpenter, water trough.....	2.00
1927			
Jan. 6		Physicians, returning births and deaths	6.50
Jan. 17		Mrs. John F. Lane, rebate of Poll tax in 1926 .....	3.70
Jan. 17		Geo. F. Chandler, Treas., 1% for collect- ing taxes and making delinquent book .....	137.08
Jan. 20		H. R. Huntting Co., books for Library	27.47
Jan. 28		Clerk and Treas. postage, stationary, express, etc. ....	16.00
Jan. 28		Physicians, communicable diseases re- ported .....	1.00
Jan. 29		H. R. Huntting Co., Inc., books for Library	43.47
1926			
Apr. 19		Mrs. Arthur Colby, auditing Town accounts .....	45.00
May 11		James K. Howe, bridge plank.....	82.23
May 22		Harold Jones, setting Pines.....	2.25
May. 22		Frank Chase, setting Pines.....	6.00
May 29		Roland Scribner, painting on Town Hall	100.00
June 9		Roland Scribner, painting on Town Hall	327.70
June 23		E. E. Taylor, lumber for Town Hall.....	46.59
July 1		Cecil Smith, setting Pines.....	3.00
July 1		State of Vermont, Scotch Pines.....	30.00
July 5		George Fox, labor on Town Hall.....	20.00
July 5		Arthur Colby, labor on Town Hall.....	20.00
July 28		R. B. Prescott, drain tile.....	34.53
July 28		H. H. Udall, paint and oil for Town Hall	250.21
Aug. 14		A. J. Colby, labor on Town Hall.....	30.00
Aug. 14		John Druge, labor and shingles for Town Hall .....	15.00
Aug. 19		Steele McKeeman, mowing Old City Cemetery .....	3.00
Aug. 24		George Fox, labor on Town Hall.....	30.00
Aug. 24		George Fox, labor on Library, \$4.00 and cement bridge \$6.00.....	10.00

Sept. 1	A. J. Colby, labor.....	53.04
Sept. 4	R. M. Erno, shoveling gravel.....	18.00
Sept. 4	Grover Pixley, shoveling gravel.....	18.00
Sept. 4	Charles Webster, hauling gravel for cement bridge .....	36.00
Sept. 4	Roy Allen, shoveling gravel for cement bridge .....	18.00
Sept. 4	Gerald Pixley, shoveling gravel for ce- ment bridge .....	18.00
Sept. 4	F. L. Lewis, hauling gravel for cement bridge .....	42.00
Sept. 11	Homer Bullard, labor on cement bridge	9.00
Sept. 11	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor on ce- ment bridge .....	27.00
Sept. 11	Otis Sanborn, labor on bridge.....	18.00
Sept. 11	Fred Guertin, labor on cement bridge.....	9.00
Sept. 11	George Fox, labor on Town Hall.....	22.48
Sept. 11	George Fox labor on Library.....	12.00
Sept. 15	Chester Reynolds, labor on cement bridge .....	15.00
Sept. 18	A. J. Colby, labor on cement bridge.....	60.00
Sept. 18	Homer Bullard, labor on cement bridge	18.00
Sept. 18	Fred Guertin, labor on cement bridge.....	18.00
Sept. 18	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor on cement bridge with team.....	54.00
Sept. 18	Bert Hayward, hauling gravel for Library .....	8.75
Sept. 21	Chester Reynolds, labor on cement bridge .....	13.50
Sept. 21	Fred Guertin, labor on cement bridge.....	6.00
Sept. 21	A. J. Colby, labor on Library.....	21.00
Sept. 23	Byron P. Titus, labor, self and team on bridge and gravel bridge.....	39.75
Sept. 25	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor with team on cement bridge.....	42.00
Sept. 25	Fred Guertin, labor on cement bridge.....	6.00
Sept. 25	A. J. Colby, labor on bridge.....	24.00
Sept. 25	A. J. Colby labor on cement bridge.....	54.50
Sept. 25	A. J. Colby, labor on Town Hall.....	88.33
Sept. 29	Chas. Titus, labor on bridge.....	43.50
Oct. 2	Gerald Pixley, work on cement bridge.....	17.00
Oct. 2	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor with team	

		on cement bridge.....	51.00
Oct.	2	Grover Pixley, work on cement bridge.....	11.00
Oct.	2	Chester Reynolds, labor on cement bridge	20.00
Oct.	4	Walter Campbell, labor on cement bridge .....	32.00
Oct.	5	R. B. Prescott, cement for cement bridge	400.00
Oct.	5	R. B. Prescott, cement for Library.....	25.00
Oct.	5	R. B. Prescott, shingles and roofing for Town Hall.....	11.60
Oct.	9	Chester Reynolds, labor on cement bridge .....	15.00
Oct.	15	Roland Scribner, labor on cement bridge self and team.....	24.67
Oct.	16	Gerald Pixley, labor on cement bridge.....	18.00
Oct.	16	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor with team on cement bridge.....	31.50
Oct.	16	Grover Pixley, labor on cement bridge	16.50
Oct.	18	Chester Reynolds, labor on cement bridge .....	15.00
Oct.	18	Kittridge Bridge Co., Steel for cement bridge .....	86.75
Oct.	18	Arthur Colby, labor on cement bridge.....	25.00
Oct.	30	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor with team on cement bridge.....	60.00
Oct.	30	Gerald Pixley, labor on cement bridge.....	3.00
Oct.	30	R. B. Prescott, cement and hauling steel	369.45
Nov.	2	Walter Campbell, labor on cement bridge	60.00
Nov.	4	Byron Titus, labor on bridge.....	50.00
Nov.	9	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, labor with team .....	18.00
Nov.	26	C. C. Reynolds, lumber for cement bridge .....	19.20
Dec.	2	A. J. Colby, labor on cement bridge.....	175.70
Dec.	8	F. T. Avery, gravel and damage on land at cement bridge.....	10.00
Dec.	22	George Fox, work on Town Hall.....	30.70
1927			
Jan.	3	Chas. P. Folsom, evespouts for Library	11.38
Jan.	10	H. H. Udall, lumber for cement bridge	41.04
Jan.	10	Milo Sleeper, lumber for cement bridge	3.50
Jan.	29	G. M. Moore, lumber .....	24.00
Jan.	29	Frank Brown, services as Selectman and Health Officer .....	38.00



Jan. 29	A. L. Sargent, lumber for Town Rollers	6.48
Jan. 29	H. H. Udall, Selectmen's Account.....	72.00
Jan. 29	Robert Alexander, rail for Library.....	12.43
Jan. 29	A. J. Colby, services as Selectman.....	5.00
1926		
May 7	Harold Fulton, water trough.....	2.00
May 10	J. Guy Huntley, services as lister.....	41.50
June 12	J. L. Root, drawing hearse.....	15.00
July 21	Mildred Linton, cleaning Library.....	3.00
Aug. 7	Good Road Machine Co., blade and boxes for little machine.....	11.00
Aug. 17	H. L. Dodge, stringers and labor on bridge .....	10.00
Sept. 11	Clarence Pickwell, labor, self and team	24.00
Sept. 11	R. M. Erno, labor.....	15.50
Sept. 25	George Brown, services as lister.....	54.00
Oct. 7	H. H. Udall, assessments.....	90.95
Oct 7	Mrs. J. P. Davis, Orange Co. Farm Bureau	36.82
Dec 3	J. G. Huntley, services as lister.....	7.50
Dec. 7	Harold Fulton, wood for Library.....	4.50
Dec. 7	Grover Pixley, labor.....	3.00
Dec. 7	Will Truehart, labor.....	3.00
Dec. 24	Will Robinson, mowing cemetery.....	5.00
Dec. 24	John Druge, sawing lumber.....	7.00
Dec. 24	F. T. Avery, services as Moderator.....	3.00
Dec. 30	John Coburn, sheep killed by dogs.....	14.00
Dec. 31	C. H. Brown, sheep killed by dogs.....	135.00
Sept. 20	I. O. Pixley, services as lister and cash paid out .....	52.00
Dec. 22	E. C. Gomo, killing tramp dog.....	1.50
1927		
Jan. 25	Town of Thetford, one-half of snow plow trip .....	6.00
Jan. 29	Geo. F. Chandler, services as Treasurer	100.00
Jan. 29	E. M. F. Chandler, services as Town Clerk .....	71.55
Jan. 31	H. Varney, road acct., snow and bush bill .....	827.58
Total orders paid.....		\$18,232.57
Interest on orders paid.....		362.80
		<hr/> \$18,595.37

Justice fees .....	7.06
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Total.....	\$18,588.31
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#### Outstanding orders

1927

Jan. 29 A. W. Lewis, lumber for Town Hall.....	\$ 3.00
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Jan. 31 A. L. Judd, personal services.....	21.00
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1923

Feb. 28 E. F. Pierce, breaking roads.....	9.00
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1925

Mar. 24 John Titus and Luella Titus, money loaned the town at 5%.....	916.00
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Sept. 5 John Titus, money loaned the town at 5% .....	600.00
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Total.....	\$ 1,549.00
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#### Orders drawn by Justice of Peace

##### W. P. Stone, Justice

1926

Mar. 1 I. O. Pixley, fees as Dep. Sheriff.....	\$ 3.35
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Mar. 1 W. P. Stone, fees as Justice of Peace.....	2.50
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Mar. 1 B. F. Quimby, fees as Grand Juror.....	1.80
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Mar. 1 James Linton, fees as Witness, Grow case .....	1.06
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Mar. 1 Lee Root, fees as Witness, Grow case.....	1.06
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Mar. 1 W. P. Stone, fees as justice.....	1.50
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Nov. 4 W. P. Stone, fees as Justice.....	1.50
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Total.....	\$ 12.77
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#### Outstanding Order

1926 No.

Mar. 1 33 Jack Josler, witness fees.....	\$ 1.06
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# REPORT OF THE ROAD COMMISSIONER

## Outstanding orders paid

1925			
Jan.	8	Henry Rhodes, axle grease.....	\$ 2.40
1926			
Jan.	12	H. A. Stickney, labor on road.....	5.00
Jan.	29	Henry Swift, labor on road.....	3.00
Jan.	29	C. A. Foss, gravel.....	1.30
Jan.	29	Luman Judd, turning water.....	2.00
Jan.	29	Bunker Hill, labor on road.....	2.34
Jan.	29	Charles Reynolds, lumber.....	2.60
Jan.	29	Wilber Scribner, lumber.....	5.00
Jan.	29	R. B. Prescott, freight and cash paid out	7.17
Jan.	29	Byron Titus, labor on road.....	6.00
Total.....			\$ 36.81

## Orders Drawn 1926

Mar.	24	Chester Reynolds, labor on road.....	\$ 6.18
Mar.	24	A. W. Lewis, labor on road.....	13.98
Mar.	27	J. J. Messier, labor on road.....	4.50
May	3	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	5.33
May	5	R. M. Erno, labor on road.....	2.80
May	8	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	15.00
May	12	Martin Doyle, labor on road and turn- ing water .....	11.50
May	14	Charles Benjamin, labor on road.....	10.00
May	15	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	11.67
May	20	P. H. Hoyt, labor on road.....	12.00
May	22	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	18.00
May	22	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	22.75
May	22	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	16.25
May	22	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	16.25
1925			
Mar.	24	Chester Reynolds, labor on road.....	6.18
Mar.	24	A. W. Lewis, labor on road.....	13.98
Mar.	27	J. J. Messier, labor on road.....	4.50
1926			
May.	22	Otis Sanborn, turning water and labor on road .....	9.00
May	29	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	18.00

May 29	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	19.50
May 29	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	19.50
May 29	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	19.50
June 3	Norman Rhodes, turning water.....	5.08
June 4	H. F. Messier, labor on road.....	13.00
June 4	Edwin F. Pierce, turning water.....	3.00
June 10	H. H. Kendall, turning water and fixing culvert .....	5.00
June 5	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	19.50
June 5	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	19.50
June 5	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	19.50
June 5	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	18.00
June 12	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	15.52
June 12	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	15.16
June 12	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	17.41
June 12	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	14.24
June 16	Raymond Dodge, labor on road.....	2.00
June 18	Harry Dodge, labor on road.....	5.00
June 19	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	12.00
June 19	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	14.63
June 19	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	14.63
June 19	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	14.63
June 24	B. F. Jordon, labor on road self and team .....	190.08
June 28	Edwin F. Pierce, cleaning ditches.....	1.25
June 26	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	19.14
June 26	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	19.14
June 26	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	15.88
June 26	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	14.33
June 30	Ralph Ward, labor on road.....	18.60
July 1	Byron Titus, labor on road.....	15.50
July 1	Charles Titus, labor on road.....	12.00
July 2	R. E. Sheldon, labor on road.....	17.33
July 3	J. R. Cook, labor on road.....	19.50
July 3	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	16.25
July 3	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	19.50
July 9	W. G. Norton, labor on road and turn- ing water .....	19.73
July 10	C. B. Reynolds, labor on road.....	11.25
July 10	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	11.18
July 13	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	17.70
July 17	E. G. Norris, labor on road.....	7.36



July 21	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	3.25
July 26	North East Metal Culvert Co., culverts and machine blade.....	55.08
July 26	Good Road Machine Co., draft pin.....	5.99
July 26	Howard Varney, labor on road self and team .....	100.00
Aug. 2	B. F. Jordon, labor on road self and team .....	71.60
Aug. 21	Joe Doyle, labor on road.....	6.50
Aug. 21	R. L. Freeman, labor on road.....	59.50
Aug. 24	Howard Varney, labor self and team	100.00
Aug. 28	E. J. Doyle, labor on road.....	16.25
Sept. 4	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	3.25
Sept. 4	E. J. Doyle, labor on road.....	19.50
Sept. 6	James D. Harbridge.....	12.00
Sept. 6	Walter Jackson, labor on road.....	19.50
Sept. 7	Howard Varney, Jr., labor on road.....	62.00
Sept. 13	E. J. Doyle, labor on road.....	16.25
Sept. 13	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	16.25
Sept. 13	Ralph Stevens, labor on road.....	11.00
Sept. 18	Howard Varney, labor on road self and team .....	175.00
Sept. 18	Russell Dodge, labor on road.....	27.00
Sept. 18	Ralph Stevens, labor on road.....	18.00
Sept. 18	Grover Moses, labor on road self and team .....	40.00
Sept. 18	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	19.50
Sept. 18	E. J. Doyle, labor on road.....	19.50
Sept. 18	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	4.00
Sept. 20	C. B. Reynolds, labor on road.....	16.00
Sept. 20	H. F. Messier, labor, man and team.....	43.75
Sept. 20	Harry Hoyt, labor on road.....	7.70
Sept. 21	Chas. Benjamin, labor on road.....	5.00
Sept. 27	Harry Dodge, labor on road.....	5.00
Sept. 29	John N. Titus, self and team.....	18.00
Oct. 4	C. L. Knight, labor on road.....	31.67
Oct. 4	Berger Mfg. Co., culverts.....	25.00
Oct. 4	Chas. Titus, labor on road.....	3.00
Oct. 14	B. F. Jordon, self and team.....	112.00
Oct. 23	Howard Varney, self and team.....	200.00
Oct. 23	Ellis S. Wood, labor on road.....	3.00
Nov. 3	Ralph Ward, labor, self and team.....	26.23

Nov. 22	Ed. F. Pierce, moving stones and fixing culverts .....	9.00
Nov. 22	W. G. Norton, honing roads.....	13.80
Dec. 1	Paul Wood, labor on road.....	3.25
Dec. 3	P. H. Hoyt, turning water.....	4.00
Dec. 5	Frank Cook, honing and labor.....	43.86
Jan. 29	Byron Titus, labor on road.....	6.00
Dec. 20	C. W. Sleeper, honing and labor.....	17.00
Dec. 22	Bert Dodge, labor on road.....	1.50
Dec. 29	Frank Chase, labor on road.....	13.30
1927		
Jan. 7	B. F. Jordon, honing roads.....	7.00
Jan. 7	Walter Campbell, labor on road.....	20.00
Jan. 10	Howard Varney, self and team; cash paid out .....	297.95
Jan. 20	W. S. Turner, labor on road.....	8.00
Total.....		\$ 2,771.82

#### Outstanding orders

1927	No.		
Jan. 7	193	Luman Judd, covering stone.....	\$ 2.00
Jan. 21	199	Geo. I. Varney, wire supplies.....	11.18
Jan. 21	200	R. G. Fifield, freight.....	1.08
Jan. 27	201	H. H. Stickney, cleaning ditches.....	2.50
Jan. 27	202	A. L. Sargent, gravel.....	1.50
Total.....			\$ 18.26

#### Unselected Roads—Automobile money

1926			
Sept. 25	E. J. Doyle, labor on road.....	\$	9.75
Sept. 25	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....		9.75
Sept. 25	Ralph Stevens, labor on road.....		9.00
Oct. 2	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....		13.00
Oct. 2	E. J. Doyle, labor on road.....		13.00
Oct. 4	Ralph Stevens, labor on road.....		9.00
Oct. 9	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....		14.63
Oct. 9	Ralph Stevens, labor on road.....		13.50
Oct. 14	B. F. Jordon, labor, self and team.....		73.50
Oct. 16	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....		19.50
Oct. 16	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....		18.00

Oct. 16	Clyde Cummings, labor on road.....	14.00
Oct. 23	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....	12.00
Oct. 23	Clyde Cummings, labor on road.....	12.00
Oct. 23	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	13.00
Oct. 30	Clyde Cummings, labor on road.....	15.00
Oct. 30	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	17.88
Oct. 30	R. B. Prescott, hauling culverts.....	11.50
Nov. 6	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....	15.00
Nov. 6	Clyde Cummings, labor on road.....	15.00
Nov. 6	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	16.25
Nov. 13	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....	13.50
Nov. 13	Clyde Cummings, labor on road.....	4.50
Nov. 13	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	17.87
Nov. 20	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....	12.00
Nov. 20	Clyde Cummings, labor on road.....	2.33
Nov. 20	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	13.00
Nov. 26	Berger Mfg. Co., culverts.....	245.79
Nov. 26	North East Metal Culvert Co., culverts	102.31
Nov. 27	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....	9.00
Nov. 27	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	9.75
Dec. 4	Owen Picknell, labor on road.....	9.00
Dec. 4	J. H. Doyle, Jr., labor on road.....	9.75
Dec. 5	Henry Swift, labor on road.....	11.55
Dec. 6	Cecil Smith, labor on road.....	6.00
Dec. 5	B. F. Jordon, labor, self and team.....	155.78
Dec. 7	A. W. Lamson, gravel.....	11.00
Dec. 29	Frank Chase, labor on road.....	12.00

1927

Jan. 27	Howard Varney, labor, self and team and cash paid out.....	382.60
Jan. 27	H. B. Varney, labor, self and team.....	43.50

Total.....\$ 1,415.49

### Outstanding Order

1927	No.	
Jan. 7	192	R. B. Prescott, labor, man and team .....\$ 13.00

### Snow Bill

#### Outstanding orders paid

1926	No.	
Jan. 29	181	B. F. Jordon, rolling roads.....\$ 10.00

Jan. 29 184 A. L. Sargent, rolling roads..... 41.00

Orders paid 1926-1927

1926

Feb. 11	Roy W. Allen, breaking and shoveling snow .....	4.90
Feb. 13	R. M. Erno, breaking and shoveling snow .....	4.83
Feb. 19	Homer Bullard, breaking roads.....	5.10
Feb. 24	Charles Russell, breaking roads.....	11.50
Feb. 24	C. B. Reynolds, shoveling snow.....	9.50
Feb. 26	Chas. Benjamin, breaking roads.....	5.00
Feb. 27	Grover Moses, breaking roads.....	16.30
Feb. 27	Edwin F. Pierce, breaking roads.....	8.85
Feb. 27	Elton Wood, breaking roads.....	59.20
Feb. 27	R. M. Erno, breaking roads.....	5.48
Feb. 27	B. F. Jordon, rolling roads.....	10.00
Mar. 15	Verne Jewett, shoveling snow.....	1.92
Mar. 15	H. H. Kendall, breaking and rolling roads .....	51.90
Mar. 15	Otis Sanborn, breaking and shoveling roads .....	30.00
Mar. 20	R. M. Erno, breaking roads.....	10.80
Mar. 24	Harry L. Dodge, shoveling snow.....	4.00
Mar. 24	Walter F. Campbell, breaking roads.....	39.00
Mar. 24	Edwin F. Pierce, breaking roads.....	7.60
Mar. 24	Chester Reynolds, shoveling snow.....	8.00
Mar. 29	Ralph Ward, rolling and breaking roads	76.93
Apr. 6	Roy W. Allen, breaking roads.....	9.01
Apr. 6	Roy W. Allen, breaking roads.....	7.28
Apr. 15	Ellis S. Wood, breaking roads.....	8.60
Apr. 21	Walter F. Campbell, plowing roads.....	12.00
Apr. 21	Albert Holden, breaking roads.....	15.93
Apr. 22	A. L. Sargent, rolling roads.....	65.00
Apr. 29	Charles Russell, breaking roads.....	13.50
May 5	R. M. Erno, breaking roads.....	4.05
May. 12	Martin Doyle, breaking roads.....	6.00
May 17	Jack Josler, breaking roads.....	4.75
May 18	Bert Dodge, breaking roads.....	5.00
May 22	Otis Sanborn, breaking roads.....	12.00
May 24	W. W. Meader, shoveling snow.....	4.90
May 25	Fred H. May, shoveling snow.....	1.00



May 25	Fred Avery, breaking roads.....	4.00
June 3	Norman Rhodes, breaking roads.....	10.01
June 4	Linwood Gordon, shoveling snow.....	5.31
June 4	Edwin F. Pierce, breaking roads.....	3.75
June 5	Howard Varney, rolling roads.....	42.00
June 10	H. H. Kendall, plowing roads.....	39.80
July 19	H. R. DeGoosh, shoveling snow.....	3.00
Aug. 21	James Doyle, breaking roads.....	4.30
Dec. 3	P. H. Hoyt, shoveling snow.....	2.00
Dec. 5	Frank Cook, breaking roads.....	3.65
Dec. 23	Fred Norton, shoveling snow.....	10.00
Dec. 29	Frank Chase, rolling roads.....	30.00
1927		
Jan. 7	B. F. Jordan, rolling roads.....	20.00
Jan. 20	W. S. Turner, shoveling snow.....	2.00
Jan. 27	Howard Varney, rolling and breaking roads and services.....	18.00
Jan. 27	Walter F. Campbell, rolling roads.....	18.00
Jan. 31	Ellis Wood, rolling roads.....	18.00

Total.....\$ 773.60

#### Outstanding Orders

Dec. 20	Willard Robinson, breaking and shoveling .....	\$ 4.00
1927		
Jan. 27	A. L. Sargent, rolling and breaking roads .....	42.00
Jan. 27	J. J. Messier, shoveling and breaking roads .....	8.00
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		\$ 54.00

#### Bush Bill

1926		
Mar. 15	J. J. Messier, cutting brush (1925 bill) .....	\$ 5.00
Sept. 27	Harry Dodge, cutting brush.....	3.00
Nov. 22	Edwin F. Pierce, cutting brush.....	5.00
Dec. 5	Frank Cook, cutting brush.....	6.00
Dec. 29	Frank Chase, cutting brush.....	6.00
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		\$ 25.00

**SUMMARY****Debit**

Money from town for unselected highways.....	\$ 2,385.16
Money from state for unselected highways.....	1,453.50
Money from state highway maintenance fund.....	150.00
Money from selectmen for snow and bush bills.....	827.58
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	\$4,816.24

**Credits**

Regular road work.....	\$ 2,808.63
Unselected road work.....	1,415.49
Snow bill .....	824.60
Bush bill .....	25.00
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	\$ 5,073.72
Old bills paid.....	30.66
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	\$ 5,043.06
Amount overdrawn .....	<hr/>
	\$ 226.82

**Patrol**

Total cost of Patrol.....	\$ 1,552.37
Received from town.....	\$ 385.00
Received from state.....	1,167.37

**ORDERS DRAWN FOR STATE WORK****Frank Brown, Commissioner**

1926		
June 5	Grover Pixley, labor.....	\$ 15.00
June 5	G. L. Pixley, labor.....	18.00
June 5	Otis Sanborn, self and team.....	39.00
June 12	Steele McKeeman, labor.....	18.00
June 12	Custer Wright, labor.....	10.00
June 12	Grover Pixley, labor.....	18.00
June 12	G. L. Pixley, labor.....	18.00
June 12	Otis Sanborn, self and team.....	30.00

June 12	Henry Swift, labor.....	30.00
June 19	Grover Pixley, labor.....	15.00
June 19	G. L. Pixley, labor.....	15.00
June 19	Steele McKeeman, labor.....	15.25
June 19	Otis Sanborn, self and team.....	36.00
June 19	Custer Wright, labor.....	10.50
June 19	Henry Swift, labor.....	25.00
June 19	Chester Reynolds, labor.....	10.50
June 26	Otis Sanborn, self, man and team.....	54.00
June 26	Grover Pixley, labor.....	18.00
June 26	G. L. Pixley, labor.....	18.00
June 26	Steele McKeeman, labor.....	18.00
June 26	Chester Reynolds, labor.....	15.00
June 26	Homer Bullard, labor.....	18.00
June 26	Henry Swift, labor.....	27.50
June 26	Custer Wright, labor.....	9.00
June 30	C. B. Reynolds, labor.....	10.50
July 2	Henry Swift, labor.....	16.00
July 2	Custer Wright, labor.....	16.50
July 3	Homer Bullard, labor.....	12.00
July 3	Otis Sanborn, self, man and team.....	54.00
July 3	Grover Pixley, labor.....	18.50
July 3	G. L. Pixley, labor.....	15.00
July 3	Sargent, Osgood & Roundy Co., re- pairs for drag and plow.....	13.00
July 3	J. A. Graham, tools and dynamite.....	22.10
July 3	Frank Brown, self and team.....	283.00
July 3	R. W. Brown, labor.....	90.00
July 3	Steele McKeeman, labor.....	18.00
Aug. 7	Berger Manuf. Co., culverts and road guard .....	194.44
Aug. 7	North East Culvert Co., steel culverts .....	369.07
Sept. 4	Clarence Picknell, self and team, labor .....	36.00
Sept. 4	Ernest Picknell, self and team, labor .....	30.00
Sept. 18	E. M. Erno, labor.....	18.00
Sept. 18	Grover Pixley, labor.....	12.00
Sept. 18	G. L. Pixley, labor.....	12.00
Sept. 18	Clarence Picknell, hauling gravel.....	36.00
Sept. 21	F. L. Lewis, hauling gravel.....	36.00
Oct. 2	R. M. Erno, labor.....	19.50
Oct. 2	Clarence Picknell, self and team.....	24.00
Oct. 2	F. L. Lewis, hauling gravel.....	31.50

Oct. 2	B. G. Heywood, hauling gravel.....	167.20
Oct. 9	Clarence Picknell, hauling gravel.....	45.50
Oct. 9	R. W. Brown, hauling gravel.....	69.50
Oct. 9	Frank Brown, self and team.....	255.00
Oct. 9	C. Carpenter, damage crossing field with gravel .....	5.00
Oct. 9	R. B. Prescott, hauling gravel.....	103.50
Oct. 9	Gerald Pixley, labor.....	15.00
Oct. 9	Grover Pixley, labor.....	15.00
Oct. 9	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, with team.....	45.00
Oct. 16	Otis and Ralph Sanborn, with team.....	22.50
Oct. 16	Geo. Jamison, self and team.....	54.00
Oct. 16	Frank Standfast, labor.....	18.00
Oct. 27	Grover Pixley, labor.....	26.33
Oct. 30	Chester Reynolds, labor.....	24.33
Oct. 30	Otis Sanborn, self, man and team.....	18.00
Nov. 1	Grover Pixley, labor.....	6.00
Nov. 2	Walter Campbell, labor.....	12.00
Nov. 2	Frank Standfast, labor.....	10.50
Nov. 2	Geo. Jamison, self and team.....	15.00
Nov. 6	A. J. Colby, labor.....	96.00
Nov. 27	The Berger Mf'g. Co., culverts.....	35.37
Nov. 27	Brown Fence Co., posts and wire for railing .....	27.78

Total orders drawn.....\$ 2,974.37

#### Debtor

Unexpended balance from 1925.....	\$ 154.92
Interest on James S. Morrill Fund.....	70.13
For Permanent Highway.....	500.00
Highway Maintenance Fund from State.....	620.47
Highway Permanent Work from State.....	928.05
State Highway tax.....	765.81

Total.....\$ 3,039.38

Unexpended balance .....\$ 65.01



## OVERSEER ACCOUNT

Orders drawn by Luman A. Judd, for support of the poor for the year ending Jan. 31. 1927.

Feb.

6	Mrs. L. L. Wood, bd. Charles Shores, 2 weeks \$	10.00
9	Paul Hayward, clothing for Mrs. Carey.....	4.00
22	Mrs. L. L. Wood, bd. Charles Shores, 2 weeks	10.00

Mar.

1	Lon Roberts, bd. Mrs. Carey 1 month.....	25.00
2	H. H. Fulton, potatoes for Alex Truehart.....	1.00
2	J. L. Root, wood and mdse. to Chas. Shores (old bill) .....	28.25
6	Mrs. L. L. Wood, bd of Chas. Shores, 2 wks.	20.00
6	C. M. Edson, burial of Mrs. Newell.....	85.00
20	A. L. Roberts, bd. of Mrs. Carey 1 month.....	25.00
20	Custer Wright, 2 wks bd. and medicine Mr. Shores .....	10.60

Apr.

3	Custer Wright, bd. Chas. Shores, 2 weeks.....	10.00
17	Mrs. C. Wright, bd. Chas. Shores, 2 weeks.....	10.00
17	J. M. Benjamin, digging grave for Sherman Dodge .....	6.00
29	Mrs. D. C. Root, bd. and care for Mrs. Carey 1 month .....	31.00
29	W. T. Rees, M. D. Medical services for poor	20.00

May

1	Mrs. Custer Wright, bd. Chas. Shores 2 wks.	10.00
8	Mrs. D. C. Root, care of Sherman Dodge.....	20.00
12	G. M. Wilson, services at burial of Mrs. Truehart .....	95.00
15	H. H. Udall, mdse. for Truehart's.....	18.24
15	Mrs. Custer Wright, bd. 2 wks. Chas. Shores	10.00

June

1	Mrs. D. C. Root, bd. Mrs. Carey 1 mo. to May 22 .....	25.00
1	Ernest Sleeper, digging grave, moving and burying Mrs. Newell.....	18.00
1	Dr. L. B. Allen, services for the poor.....	39.00
1	Custer Wright, bd. Chas. Shores 2 weeks.....	10.00
28	Mrs. D. C. Root, bd. Mrs. Carey 1 mo. to June 22 .....	25.00

July		
8	Scott Clough, digging grave for Mrs. Truehart .....	8.00
8	Dr. Munsell, call at Truehart's.....	6.00
8	Custer Wright, bd. Chas. Shores 1 week.....	5.00
8	C. D. Whitcomb, bd. of Chas. Shores.....	15.00
8	Josie Clark, moving Mrs. Carey and breaking out cemetery.....	7.00
8	M. K. Messer, clothing for Mrs. Carey.....	3.50
10	C. D. Whitcomb, bal. 1 mo. bd. Chas. Shores to July 6.....	10.00
24	Mrs. D. C. Root, Mrs. Carey's bd. 1 mo. to July 22 .....	25.00
24	C. D. Whitcomb, half mo. bd., Chas. Shores	12.50
Aug.		
16	C. D. Whitcomb, half mo. bd. Chas. Shores.....	12.50
27	C. D. Whitcomb, 1 mo. bd. Chas. Shores to Sept. 6 .....	25.00
30	Mrs. D. C. Root, Mrs. Carey bd. 1 month.....	25.00
Sept.		
16	C. D. Whitcomb, to apply on Chas. Shores bd.	10.00
Oct.		
6	Mrs. H. LaDue, Wm. Manion's bd. 18 days.....	15.00
6	Mrs. D. C. Root, Mrs. Carey's bd., clothing and shoes .....	30.00
6	C. D. Whitcomb, bal. on Chas. Shores, bd.	10.00
27	Mrs. D. C. Root, board Mrs. Carey 1 mo.....	25.00
Nov.		
4	Mrs. A. M. Holden, board Chas. Shores, 1 mo.	20.00
5	Chas. Benjamin, board Mrs. Emerton, 1 mo.	12.00
27	Mrs. D. C. Root, bd. and care of Mrs. Carey in her last sickness and material furnished .....	65.00
27	Mary Fletcher Hospital, care of C. Wright in last illness .....	105.40
Dec.		
6	T. W. Guernsey, undertaking expenses of C. Wright .....	92.15
6	G. M. Wilson, burial of Mrs. Carey.....	85.00
6	Mrs. A. M. Holden, board Chas. Shores 1 mo.	20.00
6	Chas. Benjamin, board Mrs. Emerton 1 mo.	12.00
22	H. H. Udall, burial lot for Custer Wright \$10.00, mdse. for poor to date \$46.59	56.59

31	Chas. Benjamin, boarding Mrs. Emerton.....	15.00
Jan. 1927		
5	Mrs. A. M. Holden, board Chas. Shores, 1 mo.	20.00
5	Milo Sleeper, trip to Sharon and cash paid out for C. Wright.....	8.00
31	Chas. Benjamin, bal. due Mrs. Emerton's bd. to Feb. 1st.....	9.00
31	Mrs. A. M. Holden, bd. Chas. Shores, 1 mo. to Feb. 1st.....	25.00
31	L. A. Judd, services as Overseer.....	40.00
Total orders drawn.....		\$ 1,395.73

## Credit

Goods Sold .....	\$ 57.70
..... Town Agents Report .....	

I am pleased to state there are no cases pending, for or against the town.

F. J. AVERY,

Town Agent.

### REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

Measles—36 cases.  
Chicken Pox—14 cases.  
German Measles—1 case.  
Whooping Cough—7 cases.

FRANK BROWN,

Health Officer.

### REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS

For the year ending January 31, 1927

1926			
Feb.	6	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	\$ 5.00
Feb.	6	Mrs. L. L. Wood, janitorship, 2 weeks	4.00
Feb.	9	Elton Wood, labor on wood.....	17.00

Feb. 9	Elton Wood, labor on building.....	5.13
Feb. 12	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks.....	46.00
Feb. 12	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
Feb. 13	Mrs. Homer Bullard, transportation.....	12.00
Feb. 19	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
Feb. 20	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	70.00
Feb. 22	Mrs. L. L. Wood, transportation.....	4.00
Feb. 24	Beatrice Bixby, janitorship.....	19.45
Feb. 25	J. L. Hammett Co., supplies.....	6.38
Feb. 25	Blanch Titus, teaching 4 weeks.....	76.00
Feb. 25	L. Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
Feb. 25	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	80.00
Feb. 25	Dorothy Robinson, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Feb. 25	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks.....	46.00
Feb. 25	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Feb. 26	Mrs. Homer Bullard trans. 2 weeks.....	12.00
Feb. 27	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
Feb. 27	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary 1 month.....	32.89
Mar. 1	J. Hammett Co., supplies.....	9.55
Mar. 2	R. B. Prescott, wall board.....	22.20
Mar. 3	Kimball Academy, tuition.....	27.50
Mar. 5	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
Mar. 12	Hanover High School Tuition.....	18.00
Mar. 12	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
Mar. 13	Homer Bullard, transportation.....	12.00
Mar. 19	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
Mar. 19	Maria Preston, teaching 3 weeks.....	69.00
Mar. 19	Blanch Titus, teaching 3 weeks.....	57.00
Mar. 19	Irene Chandler, teaching 3 weeks.....	66.00
Mar. 19	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 3 weeks.....	60.00
Mar. 19	Dorothy Robinson, teaching 3 weeks.....	63.00
Mar. 19	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 3 weeks.....	63.00
Mar. 19	Geo. Jamison, transportation.....	20.00
Mar. 19	John Titus, transportation.....	10.00
Mar. 19	Gile Kendall, janitor.....	7.00
Mar. 19	Melvin Needham, janitor.....	8.00
Mar. 19	M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	40.00
Mar. 20	Otis Sanborn, transportation.....	30.00
Mar. 20	Homer Bullard, transportation.....	6.00
Mar. 20	Anna B. Rhodes, janitor 12 weeks.....	12.00
Mar. 25	Town of Hartford, tuition G. Nowlan	19.50
Mar. 26	L. W. Eastburn, trans. winter term.....	20.00



Mar. 27	M. J. Kendall, supt. salary month of March .....	32.89
Mar. 30	Mrs. L. L. Wood, janitor.....	12.00
Apr. 10	R. B. Prescott, 200 ft. flooring.....	22.00
Apr. 14	Stevens High School Tuition.....	30.00
Apr. 30	Ginn Company, supplies.....	1.97
Apr. 30	M. J. Kendall, supplies.....	18.82
Apr. 30	M. J. Kendall, salary for April.....	32.89
Apr. 30	D. Appleton and Company, supplies.....	.53
Apr. 30	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
May 7	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
May 7	H. B. Cummings, tuition for Olive Colby .....	25.00
May 8	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	10.00
May 14	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
May 18	Melvin Needham, janitor.....	5.00
May 18	Hanover High School, tuition for T. Chase .....	17.00
May 20	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	92.00
May 20	Blanch Titus, teaching 4 weeks.....	76.00
May 20	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
May 20	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	80.00
May 20	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	80.00
May 20	Dorothy Robinson, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
May 21	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
May 21	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for May.....	32.89
May 22	Town of Royalton, tuition Laura Robinson .....	30.00
May 22	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	30.00
May 28	Kimball Academy, tuition for Mildred Ward .....	27.50
May 29	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
June 1	James Wright, labor on wood.....	4.00
June 5	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
June 5	Harold Jones, janitor 6 weeks.....	12.00
June 9	Town of Chelsea, tuition, 2 pupils for the year .....	120.00
June 11	Town of Hartford, tuition 1 pupil Spring term .....	15.00
June 12	H. C. Kilky, lumber.....	1.26
June 12	Harold Jones, kindling wood.....	1.00
June 12	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00

June 15	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, trans. 4 weeks.....	40.00
June 16	Beatrice Bixby, janitorship, Spring term .....	4.00
June 15	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	80.00
June 17	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	92.00
June 17	Blanch Titus, teaching 4 weeks.....	76.00
June 17	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
June 17	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	80.00
June 17	Dorothy Robinson, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
June 17	The Chelsea Job Press, supplies.....	3.00
June 17	C. A. Gregory examination material.....	1.48
June 18	Maria Preston, janitorship, Spring term .....	8.00
June 18	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
June 18	Harold Jones, janitor 2 weeks.....	4.00
June 18	N. Josler, trans. for the year.....	34.00
June 21	George Jamison, trans. 2 pupils.....	9.00
June 21	John Titus, trans. 1 pupil.....	6.00
June 21	Gile Kendall, janitor Spring term.....	4.00
June 21	W. G. Norton, services as director.....	2.00
June 24	Florence Bullard, trans. 8 weeks.....	48.00
June 26	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for June.....	32.89
June 28	L. W. Eastburn, trans. Spring term.....	20.00
June 29	Otis Sanborn, trans. 6 pupils, Spring term .....	30.00
June 30	C. M. Ward, trans. 2 pupils for the year .....	40.00
June 30	J. Guy Huntley, 5 cords wood.....	40.00
June 30	J. Guy Huntley, repairing fence, and services .....	7.50
June 30	J. L. Barrett, services to date.....	10.00
July 23	H. A. Hoyt, labor on Center School house .....	11.47
July 24	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for July.....	32.89
Aug. 2	Parkhurst and Scribner, labor.....	71.65
Aug. 24	I. O. Pixley, labor on So. Strafford School house.....	17.80
Aug. 31	Mrs. J. L. Barrett, taking school census .....	6.90
Aug. 31	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for August .....	32.89
Sept. 3	J. L. Barrett, Ins. on school buildings .....	7.36
Sept. 4	Chester Reynolds, cleaning school house .....	4.00
Sept. 10	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00

Sept. 18	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, trans. 2 weeks.....	20.00
Sept. 18	H. H. Udall, Ins. on school buildings.....	18.28
Sept. 18	J. Guy Huntley, services as director.....	6.00
Sept. 18	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
Sept. 20	Harold Jones, janitorship, 3 weeks.....	6.00
Sept. 22	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for Sept.....	32.89
Sept. 25	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	5.00
Oct. 1	Stevens high school tuition, R. Gilman	30.00
Oct. 1	Irene Griswold, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Oct. 1	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
Oct. 1	Cristine McKenzie, teaching 4 weeks.....	72.00
Oct. 1	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Oct. 1	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	92.00
Oct. 1	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Oct. 1	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
Oct. 8	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
Oct. 13	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, trans. 1 week.....	10.00
Oct. 15	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
Oct. 16	Emma Blake, cleaning school house.....	4.00
Oct. 16	Mrs. L. L. Clark, cleaning 3 school houses .....	8.00
Oct. 19	Mrs. J. J. Messier, cleaning school house	3.00
Oct. 19	Irene Griswold, teaching 2 weeks.....	42.00
Oct. 21	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for Oct.....	32.89
Oct. 22	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	5.00
Oct 27	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, trans. 2 weeks.....	20.00
Oct. 29	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Oct. 29	Town of Thetford, tuition Mildred Allen .....	20.00
Oct. 29	Hanover High School, tuition Thelbert Chase .....	25.00
Oct. 29	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
Oct. 29	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Oct. 20	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	92.00
Oct. 29	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Oct. 29	Cristine MacKenzie, teaching 4 weeks..	72.00
Nov. 2	Chester Reynolds, janitor and labor.....	10.00
Nov. 5	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	11.00
Nov. 13	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	11.00
Nov. 13	H. A. Gilman, sawing wood.....	5.75
Nov. 19	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	11.00
Nov. 22	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	15.00

Nov. 22	Kimball Union Academy, tuition, Mildred Ward .....	27.50
Nov. 26	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Nov. 26	J. L. Hammett Co., supplies.....	4.95
Nov. 26	Union City Pub. Co., supplies.....	6.29
Nov. 26	Keene High School, tuition.....	30.46
Nov. 26	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
Nov. 26	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Nov. 26	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	92.00
Nov. 26	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Nov. 26	Christine MacKenzie, teaching 4 weeks	72.00
Nov. 26	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for Nov.....	32.89
Nov. 29	Maria Preston, extra pay from the State .....	12.00
Dec. 2	C. D. Whitcomb, janitorship 12 weeks	12.00
Dec. 3	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Dec. 4	Harold Jones, janitorship.....	20.00
Dec. 7	Irene Griswold, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Dec 8	Beatrice Bixby, janitorship.....	18.83
Dec. 8	R. W. Ward, labor at Pond School house .....	\$ 5.00
Dec. 10	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	11.00
Dec. 11	Chester Reynolds, janitorship.....	6.00
Dec. 11	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, trans.....	75.00
Dec. 13	E. E. Taylor, lumber.....	1.59
Dec. 16	Mrs. I. O. Pixley, labor and rope for bell	2.55
Dec. 16	L. W. Eastburn, transportation.....	20.00
Dec. 16	J. D. Norris, 2 cords wood.....	12.00
Dec. 17	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Dec. 17	Otis Sanborn, transportation.....	30.00
Dec. 20	Current Events, supplies.....	2.10
Dec. 20	Town of Hartford, tuition 2 pupils.....	42.00
Dec. 22	A. J. Gover, services as director.....	13.50
Dec. 22	J. Guy Huntley, services as director.....	8.00
Dec. 22	Irene Griswold, teaching 3 weeks.....	63.00
Dec. 22	Irene Griswold, janitorship.....	3.00
Dec. 22	Melvin Needham, janitorship.....	5.00
Dec. 22	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
Dec. 22	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Dec. 22	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	92.00
Dec. 22	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Dec. 22	Cristine MacKinzie, teaching 4 weeks	72.00



Dec. 24	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Dec. 27	Maria Preston, extra pay from the State .....	4.00
Dec. 29	George Jamison, transportation.....	9.00
Dec. 29	H. A. Hoyt, labor on Robinson School house .....	10.80
Dec. 31 1927	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for Dec.....	32.89
Jan. 4	Walter Campbell, transportation.....	10.00
Jan. 8	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	30.00
Jan. 11	Chester Reynolds 4 cords wood.....	28.00
Jan. 11	Chester Reynolds, janitor.....	3.00
Jan. 14	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Jan. 18	M. J. Kendall, Supt. salary for Jan.....	32.89
Jan. 19	Howard Gilman, sawing wood.....	3.00
Jan. 21	Charles Benjamin, transportation.....	11.00
Jan. 22	Harold Jones, janitorship.....	12.00
Jan. 27	Mrs. M. C. Perkins, transportation.....	10.00
Jan. 28	Charles Benjamin, trans. 1 week.....	11.00
Jan. 28	John Titus, transportation.....	10.00
Jan. 28	L. W. Eastburn, 2 cords wood.....	16.00
Jan. 28	Glenn Titus, sawing wood.....	2.60
Jan. 28	Chester Reynolds, janitorship.....	3.00
Jan. 28	Town of Royalton, tuition 4 pupils.....	120.00
Jan. 28	Town of Thetford, tuition 1 pupil.....	20.00
Jan. 28	Town of Tunbridge, tuition 1 pupil.....	34.00
Jan. 28	Ginn and Company, supplies.....	6.56
Jan. 27	Langmans Green & Co., books.....	26.44
Jan. 28	John C. Winston Co., books.....	18.27
Jan. 28	Scott Clough, labor on wood.....	1.75
Jan. 28	Irene Chandler, teaching 4 weeks.....	88.00
Jan. 28	Beatrice Bixby, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Jan. 28	Maria Preston, teaching 4 weeks.....	96.00
Jan. 28	Doris Natemyer, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Jan. 28	Cristine MacKinzie, teaching 4 weeks	72.00
Jan. 28	J. L. Barrett, services as director and labor .....	13.90
Jan. 28	Irene Griswold, teaching 4 weeks.....	84.00
Jan. 30	H. H. Udall, paint, oil and supplies.....	83.22
Total orders drawn.....		\$ 7238.97

## Outstanding Order Paid

1926	No.		
Jan. 30	1206	J. Guy Huntley, wood \$20.00,	
		Services, \$3.00 .....	\$ 23.00
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			\$ 7,261.97

## Less Outstanding Order

1927	No.		
Jan. 21	1407	H. B. Cummings.....	\$ 25.00

## CLASSIFIED STATEMENT

Paid teachers.....	\$ 4,359.00
Paid school directors bills for services.....	48.00
Paid repairs on school buildings.....	258.57
Paid for wood.....	135.10
Paid for transportation.....	1,000.00
Paid for Elementary Instruction.....	34.00
Paid for high school tuition.....	669.46
Paid for school supplies.....	62.08
Paid for janitor.....	212.83
Paid for sundries.....	15.90
Paid for Insurance on buildings.....	25.64
Paid for text books.....	44.71
Paid for Truant Officer.....	4.00
Paid for Superintendent salary.....	394.68
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\$ 7,261.97	

## PAID TUITIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING PUPILS

Helen Prescott at So. Royalton.  
 Argene Colby at So. Royalton.  
 Ralph Perkins at So. Royalton.  
 Laura Robinson at So. Royalton.  
 Richard Gilman, at Claremont, N. H.  
 Elizabeth Jordan at White River Junction.  
 Gerald Nowlan at White River Junction.  
 Mildred Ward at Meridan, N. H.  
 Thelbert Chase at Hanover, N. H.

Ethel Ward at Keene, N. H.  
 Olive Colby at Northfield, Mass.  
 Mildred Allen at Thetford Hill.  
 Ella Titus at Chelsea.  
 Gladys Titus at Chelsea.

### School Revenue

Received from the State School fund.....	\$ 1,475.09
Received from the Town Tax.....	5,926.16
Received from State on Supt. salary.....	240.00
Received from lease land rent.....	29.56

	\$ 7,670.81
Total Amount school orders drawn.....	7,261.97
Balance to the credit to the schools.....	\$ 408.84

The School Directors recommend that the town vote to raise 150 per cent of the grand list for the maintenance of schools for coming year. The school buildings that are in use are all in very good repair.

J. GUY HUNTLEY,

J. L. BARRETT,

A. J. GOVER,

School Directors.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Board of School Directors and Citizens of Strafford:

As required by law, I herewith submit the annual report of the Superintendent of Schools for the year ending June 30th, 1926.

During half of the school year this report covers the Town and District were served by Charles A. Mitchell, the present Superintendent coming to the District the middle of January, 1926.

Six legal schools have been maintained in Strafford for 34 weeks with an average of 160.25 days of school each.

I recommend that the school year be extended to 36 weeks.

The total registration for the year was 82 of which pupils 36 were boys and 46 girls; 10 of these were between six and eight, 71 between eight and 16 and one between 16 and 18 years of age.

The attendance was 93.62% of what it would have been had there been no absences, thus giving Strafford first place in the District with Thetford 92.47, Tunbridge 92, Sharon 91 and Norwich 87.74. The average for the State was 91% with 32 other places having 95% or better. Nine cases of truancy were reported by teachers.

Rebates from the State for the support of schools in Strafford for the past year are as follows: supervision \$240.00, advanced instruction \$318.06, transportation and board \$761.76, trained teachers \$616.00, current expenses \$20.35, making a total from the State for education of \$1,956.17.

The best spellers from each school in town competed in the Town Spelling Contest, held May 10th at South Strafford. The winners of the contest and eligible for entry in the county contest were Clarence Perkins 1st, Helen Prescott 2nd; alternates, Gladys Wood 3rd and Velma Hood 4th.

The Superintendent issued certificates of promotion and free tuition to the following 8th graders; George Benjamin, Elizabeth Jordan, Argene Colby, Gladys Wood, Mildred Allen, Clarence Perkins, Helen Prescott, and Ethel Ward, a total of eight. A special certificate on age was issued to Ralph Sanborn. One 8th grader failed of promotion.

I have found the teaching in the schools of the town, for the most part, excellent. It will compare favorably with similar schools anywhere I believe. The professional attitude of our teachers is also fine. Every effort possible should be made to keep our successful teachers in continuous service. No other single factor will contribute more to the steady upbuilding of our schools than this one. I ask the interest and co-operation of parents and other members of our school communities toward the realization of a continuous and high type of service in the schools of the town.

The buildings are capable of improvement and can be made more worthy of the town of Strafford and the object



for which they are used. By means of a carefully planned program spread over a period of years it would be possible to have an adequate, approved school building in each community without seriously dipping into the funds of the town. One-third of the cost of approved equipment and improvement is borne by the State up to certain maximum. I commend the matter to the serious consideration of the Board of School Directors and citizens of the town.

It has been my intention to build on to the school structure as I found it upon coming to the District and to carry on to the end of the year the general plans as inaugurated by the former Superintendent with the least possible break.

A great deal of assistance and support has been given me by parents, teachers and members of the School Board, particularly by the chairman of the Board whose familiarity with local conditions has been very helpful. I gratefully acknowledge this spirit of helpfulness.

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE J. KENDALL,

Superintendent of Schools.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

George F. Chandler, Treasurer

#### Debit

1926			
Feb. 1	Cash on hand.....	\$ 1,450.35	
Feb. 13	A. L. Sargent, money loaned the town		
	at 5% .....	2,000.00	
Feb. 18	Bernard Butler, 1925 Poll Tax.....	3.67	
Feb. 24	Frank Brown, money loaned the		
	Town at 5%.....	3,500.00	
Mar. 1	Wm. P. Stone, Fine and costs in B. A.		
	Grow case .....	15.83	
Mar. 1	Wm. P. Stone, fine and costs in J. .S.		
	Druge case .....	2.50	
Apr. 15	U. S. Treas., Morrill Fund int. (bridge)	93.50	

May	4	Travelers Ins. Co., P. H. Daniels, damage to culvert.....	25.00
June	12	State Treas., rebate Supt. salary.....	120.00
July	1	A. L. Sargent, money loaned the town at 5% .....	500.00
July	1	Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co., checking acct. Int.....	31.92
July	1	Town Clerk, dog license fees.....	211.70
July	12	H. C. Ward, 150 weighings @ 5c.....	7.50
July	14	B. M. Hall Trustee, for permanent highway .....	500.00
Aug.	10	A. L. Sargent, money loaned the town @ 5% .....	800.00
Aug.	30	Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co., money loaned the town @ 5%.....	2,000.00
Aug.	30	Taylor Bros., Baldwin School House property .....	40.00
Oct.	1	Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co. money loaned the town @ 5%.....	2,000.00
Oct.	15	U. S. Treas., Morrill Fund Int. (bridge) .....	93.50
Oct.	23	State Treas., school fund apportionment .....	1,475.09
Nov.	13	H. C. Gilkey, 116 weighings.....	5.80
Nov.	29	Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co., money loaned the town @ 5%.....	500.00
Dec.	9	Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co., money loaned the Town @ 5%.....	500.00
Dec.	25	State Treasurer, rebate Supt. salary.....	120.00
Dec.	31	Town Clerk, late dog license fees.....	9.10
1927			
Jan.	1	H. B. Cummings, rent of Library Hall for 1926 .....	4.00
Jan.	1	Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co., Int. on Checking acct.....	4.52
Jan.	15	Tax Payers, general tax bill.....	13,433.19
Jan.	15	Tax Payers, lease land rent.....	29.56
Jan.	20	State Treasurer, unselected highways .....	1,453.50
Jan.	22	H. C. Gilkey, 8 weighings.....	.40
Jan.	24	State Treas., Highway maintenance fund .....	150.00
Jan.	26	State Treas., bridge fund.....	951.16
Jan.	26	W. P. Stone, J. P. Fine and costs in E. G. Norris case.....	1.50

Jan. 27	State Treasurer, highway maintenance fund .....	620.47
Jan. 27	State Treas., highway permanent work .....	928.05
Jan. 27	State Treas., state highway tax.....	765.81
Jan. 29	Justin J. Sargent, final pay't on Emer- ton place .....	363.29
Jan. 29	Arthur J. Colby, 2500 Scotch pines.....	7.50
Jan. 29	Arthur J. Colby, 700 ft. second-hand lumber .....	7.00
Jan. 29	E. C. Gomo, Constable, on delinquent bill .....	577.58
Jan. 31	Selectmen's order No. 111, H. Varney rd. account .....	827.58
Jan. 31	L. A. Judd, overseer, cash received for goods sold .....	57.70
		<hr/> \$36,188.27

## Credit

Selectmen's order paid.....	\$18,588.31
School Director's orders paid.....	7,261.97
Orders drawn by Howard Varney for road, snow and bush bills .....	5,043.06
State Road commissioner Frank Brown orders paid .....	2,974.37
State Patrol work.....	385.00
Overseer, L. A. Judd, orders paid.....	1,395.73
Justice of peace, W. P. Stone, orders paid.....	19.83
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Cash total .....	\$35,668.27
Cash on hand.....	520.00
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Receipts .....	\$36,188.27

## FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN

## Debit

Outstanding orders of Selectmen.....	\$ 1,549.00
Outstanding orders of Road Commissioner.....	85.26
Outstanding orders of School Directors.....	25.00

Outstanding order of Justice of the Peace.....	1.06
To Library Fund at 3%.....	6,150.00
Interest on John and Luella Titus loan.....	45.80
Interest on John Titus loan.....	30.00
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	\$ 7,886.12

## Credit

Cash on hand.....	\$ 520.00	
Uncollected taxes .....	1,206.36	1,726.36
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Town Debt January 31, 1927.....		6,159.76
Town Debt. January 31, 1926.....		5,306.15
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Increase Town Debt.....	\$	853.61

## DOG LICENSES, 1926

4 dogs at \$1.00 each.....	\$ 4.00
67 dogs at 2.00 each.....	134.00
2 dogs at 3.00 each.....	6.00
15 dogs at 6.00 each.....	90.00
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	\$ 234.00
License fees at 15c each.....	13.20
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Paid Treasurer .....	\$ 220.80

ELIZABETH M. F. CHANDLER,

Town Clerk.

## Scale Account

Balance in favor of scales.....	\$ 205.66
1926	
July 12 H. C. Ward, 150 weighings @ 5c.....	7.50
Nov. 13 H. C. Gilkey, 116 weighings @ 5c.....	5.80
1927	
Jan. 22 H. C. Gilkey, 8 weighings @ 5c.....	.40
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	\$ 219.36



## LIBRARY ACCOUNT

## Debit

Apr. 15	Int on Library Fund.....	\$ 23.37
Oct. 15	Int on Library Fund.....	23.37
1927		
Jan. 15	Int on Library Fund.....	184.50
Total.....		\$ 231.24

## Credit

1926		
Feb. 17	Helen D. Moore, Librarian 3 mos.....	\$ 25.00
Feb. 24	H. R. Huntting Co., Inc., books.....	25.09
May 25	Helen D. Moore, Librarian 3 mos.....	25.00
July 21	Mildred Linton, cleaning Library.....	3.00
Sept. 18	Helen D. Moore, Librarian 3 mos.....	25.00
Oct. 7	H. H. Udall, Insurance.....	12.96
Nov. 9	Helen D. Moore, Librarian 3 mos.....	25.00
Dec. 7	Harold Fulton, wood.....	4.50
Nov. 20	Marjorie R. Brown, magazines for Li- brary .....	14.75
1927		
Jan. 20	H. R. Huntting Co., Inc., books.....	27.47
Jan. 29	H. R. Huntting Co., Inc., books.....	43.47
Total.....		\$ 231.24

## ASSETS OF TOWN OF STRAFFORD

Cement Mixer .....	\$ 400.00
Snow roller shed and land.....	50.00
Seven snow rollers.....	150.00
Road Machine and tools.....	300.00
Allen Sawyer Place.....	450.00
J. S. Morrill Fund in Gov't. bonds.....	3,300.00
Barrett House property.....	585.43
Sherman Dodge Bank book.....	25.65
Sherman Dodge cash.....	25.00

Mrs. Julia Newell Bankbook.....	41.84
	<u>\$ 5,327.92</u>
	\$ 3,823.33
Number of Taxable Polls.....	344
Town Tax .....	\$ 1.25
School Tax .....	1.55
Highway Taxes .....	.88
State and County Taxes.....	.17
	<u>\$ 3.85</u>

### DELINQUENT TAXES

	1918	1919	1920	1921	
J. P. Gregory .....	7.40	3.05	3.05	3.05	
W. M. and M. G. Swan		6.05			
Gordon Weaver .....			10.25		
	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
J. P. Gregory .....	3.81	3.80	3.65	3.87	3.90
A. W. and E. A. Jewett	13.18	13.18	12.65	13.42	13.53
Mrs. Edna J. Mandigo.....	3.15	11.30	10.85	11.51	11.60
Gordon A. Weaver .....	12.80	12.80	12.29	13.04	13.14
Lillian Dodge .....					3.90
Bert F. Dodge.....			26.76	16.01	29.70
Raymond Dodge .....			3.65	3.87	3.90
R. D. Morrill.....			3.65		
C. M. Penn.....			13.01		
Minnie Penn .....			3.65		
Minnie Preston .....			3.65		
Webster Preston .....			8.94		
Elsie Truehart .....			3.65	3.87	3.90
Peter Truehart .....			3.65	3.87	3.90
William Truehart .....			3.65	3.87	3.90
A. and W. Cheisa.....			45.41		
Bert Jordan .....			3.65		
Ruth Kenison .....			26.35	19.15	
Warren Ballam .....				5.78	
Mrs. Agnes P. Bennett....				2.92	

Carl Brailey .....	3.87	
Mrs. Nettie C. Clogston .....	3.87	
Perley G. Clogston .....	3.87	
Roland Clogston .....	3.87	
Asa Cummings .....	2.15	16.03
Frank Dyer .....	3.87	
Louise Jordan Frye .....	6.54	
Lena Hayes .....	3.87	3.90
Leon Hayes .....	3.87	3.90
Jesse Melendy .....	55.44	58.76
Morris Russell .....	3.87	
Wm. Simcox .....	7.69	11.60
Mabel Simcox .....		3.90
Caroline Allen .....		3.90
Roy W. Allen .....		41.05
L. A. Berry, Est. ....		4.67
Norman Brunell .....		19.30
Homer Bullard .....		3.90
B. Butler .....		3.90
James R. Cook .....		3.90
Wm. C. and Isabella Cook .....		111.05
John S. Druge .....		77.63
Mary Druge .....		3.90
S. M. and C. E. and G. J. Gilley .....		13.53
Marguerite Kennelly .....		3.90
James Roy Nowlan .....		8.71
Sarah Nowlan .....		3.90
Martha W. Perkins .....		3.90
Wm. H. Perkins .....		9.10
Clarence Picknell .....		5.83
Ernest Picknell .....		3.90
Frank Picknell .....		10.25
Hattie Picknell .....		3.90
Nancy Picknell .....		3.90
Chas. E. Rogers .....		34.70
Frank Standfast .....		3.90
Belle C. Wood .....		3.90
E. S. and E. J. Wood .....		61.65
John F. Wood .....		25.46
Leslie S. Wood Est. ....		17.38
Iona E. Wood .....		21.23
Freeman Wolcott Est. ....		.82
Custer Wright Est. ....		3.90

### DELINQUENT TAX SUMMARY

Tax of 1918.....	\$ 7.40
Tax of 1919.....	9.10
Tax of 1920.....	13.30
Tax of 1921.....	3.05
Tax of 1922.....	32.94
Tax of 1923.....	41.08
Tax of 1924.....	189.11
Tax of 1925.....	203.96
Tax of 1926.....	706.42
Total.....	<u>\$ 1,206.36</u>

### BIRTHS RECORDED IN 1926

Feb. 23, son, Dean Marvin, to Arastus W. and Gertrude (Bunce) Lewis.

Apr. 24, daughter, Marie Aline, to Frank J. and Derilda (LeBlanc) Rhodes.

Apr. 27, son Everett Danforth, Jr., to Everett D. and Rose (Dyer) Nutting.

May 11, daughter, Margaret Luna, to Ernest G. and Bessie (Doolittle) Norris.

Aug. 15, daughter, Margaret, to Clarence and Nancy (Jamieson) Picknell.

Sept. 26, son Dawson Winston, to W. James and Mildred (Judd) Doyle.

Oct. 6, son, Richard Kendall, to Elmer C. and Lillian (Kendall) Gomo.

Oct. 13, daughter, Wilma Roberts, to Henry M. and Willow (Jenkins Webster).

Oct. 15, son, Edward Grover, to Grover D. and Alice (Harvey) Pixley.

Oct. 20, daughter, Eleanor Mary, to Raynol R. and Rose (Victor) Porter.

Oct. 26, daughter, Madilene Norma, to Justin D. and Vera (Emery) Norris.

Oct. 31, son, Francis Rudolph, to Robert J. and Bertha (Muzzy) Handly.



Dec. 25, son, Utley, to Luma A. and Lillian (Varney)  
Judd.

Dec. 25, son Ulma, to Luman A. and Lillian (Varney)  
Judd.

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### MARRIAGES RECORDED IN 1926

Jan. 10, Wilbur S. Whitaker, Brattleboro, Vt., and  
Maude A. Russell, Strafford, Vt.

April 10, Raymond Edward Swift, Strafford Vt., and  
Viola May Sheldon, Sharon, Vt.

May 12, Pierson A. Smith, Strafford Vt., and Grace I.  
Bullard, Strafford, Vt.

Sept. 30, Vernon L. Freeman, Strafford, Vt., and Flor-  
ence E. Bullard, Strafford, Vt.

Sept. 30, Llewellyn W. Perrin, Randolph, Vt., and Mary  
Ella Collins, Strafford, Vt.

Dec. 8, Frank T. Coburn, Strafford, Vt., Marjorie D.  
Bartlett, Strafford, Vt.

### DEATHS RECORDED IN 1926

Apr. 4, Mildred E. Lewis, 26 years, 3 mos. Cause of  
death, Lobar Pneumonia.

Apr. 5, Georgiana F. Pixley, 69 years 7 mos., 5 days.  
Cause of death, Pneumonia.

Apr. 7, Sherman B. Dodge, 41 years, 1 mo., 23 days.  
Cause of death, Lobar Pneumonia.

Apr. 11, Adella Lucy Bartlett, 52 years, 9 mos., 4 days.  
Cause of death, Chronic Myocaeditis Pneumonia.

Apr. 11, Charles Eaton Brown, 30 years, 7 mos., 4 days.  
Cause of death, Lobar Pneumonia.

Apr. 13, Leslie Leon Wood, 44 years, 3 days. Cause  
of death, Acute Dilation of Heart, Pneumonia.

Apr. 20, Harvey J. Pixley, 1 year, 10 mos., 1 day.  
Cause of death, Lobar Pneumonia.

Apr. 21, Addie Morey Gilkey, 67 years, 11 mos., 14  
days. Cause of death Chronic Parenchymatous Nephritis.

Apr. 25, Alice J. Smith, 54 years. Cause of death, shock.

Apr. 26, Rosette Truehart, 83 years, 11 days. Cause of death, Chronic Myocarditis.

May 3, Laura Isabelle Cook, 54 years, 3 days. Cause of death, Cancer of Breast.

June 1, Isaac Howe, 76 years, 3 mos., 8 days. Cause of death, Arterio Sclerosis.

June 25, Marcellus J. Robinson, 69 years, 3 mos., 6 days. Cause of death, Augina Pectoris.

Aug. 20, Elizabeth Picknell, 2 years, 3 mos., 3 days. Cause of death, Cholera Infantum.

Aug. 22, Albert M. Holden, 64 years, 6 mos. Cause of death, Chronic Myocarditis.

Aug. 24, Mary D. McCulloch, 60 years, 8 mos., 15 days. Cause of death, Cerebral Embolism.

Nov. 17, Nellie M. Cummings, 42 years, 2 mos., 22 days. Cause of death, Lobar Pneumonia, Myocarditis.

Nov. 18, Custer Wright, 43 years. Cause of death, Adeno-carcinoma of stomach.

Dec. 26, Ulma Judd, 1 day. Cause of death, Premature delivery.



